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The Honorable Jan Brewer Governor of Arizona 1700 West Washington Phoenix, Arizona 85007

RE: Cook County, Illinois – Arizona Boycott Resolution

Dear Governor Brewer:

Recently, your office received a copy of a resolution passed by the Cook County Board of Commissioners that calls for a boycott of the State of Arizona and Arizona-based businesses. I wanted to inform you that the content of that resolution was not agreed to by the entire board. Matter of fact, the vote was 10-6 after a contentious debate on this matter.

As one of the dissenting Commissioners, I found it imperative that you were aware that there are many citizens here in Cook County (a large majority within my district) who applaud your stance to address illegal immigration and support your decision to uphold the rule of law.

Even though the media doesn't always report the full facts of an issue, there are many of us in public service who are acutely aware of the public safety issues exacerbated by illegal immigration that must be addressed by government authorities.

On behalf of the thousands of Cook County citizens who support your cause to uphold the rule of law, we thank you for your dedication and service to our country. You may contact me at 312.603.4215 whenever your schedule permits to discuss this matter in further detail.

Sincerely,

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